

PATENT Attorney Docket No. 06267.0126-00000

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Tomi JÄRVINEN et al.) Group Art Unit: 1626
Application No.: 10/537,622) Examiner: Laura L. STOCKTON
Int'l Filing Date: December 5, 2003 § 371 Date March 29, 2006 For: IMIDAZOLE DERIVATIVES HAVING AFFINITY FOR ALPHA 2 RECEPTORS ACTIVITY))) Confirmation No.: 8385))

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants petition for a two-month extension of time to file a reply to the Office Action of September 14, 2007. A fee of \$460.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any additional extensions of time required to enter the attached reply and charge any additional required fees to Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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